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### HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

(Contributed)

Thursday State Superintendent Wilson gave the entire day to inspecting the vocational departments of A. H. S. He spent three hours with Prof. Woodruff and the teacher's training class, and at the close of this rigid examination, expressed himself as more than pleased with the thoroughness of the work done in this department. He made special mention of the work of Elvia Pace, a member of this year's class, stating that he would not hesitate to recommend her, at this stage of her preparation, to any board of education in the state. At noon, Miss McPheeters and the domestic economy classes served a delicious and wholesome luncheon to Supt. Wilson, Supt. Thurston, Supt. Richards, Principal Woodruff, and the board of education. With this department also, Supt. Wilson was well pleased. He feels it is second to none in the state, in the opportunity it offers to the young ladies of the community to prepare themselves to be good homemakers,—the noblest of all the vocations open to woman. He addressed the class after the luncheon, expressing his delight and appreciation with their work, and reminded the young ladies, in an aside, that making a practical use of the knowledge gained in this department of A. H. S. would keep them forever strangers to the divorce court. Supt. Wilson was so favorably impressed with the work of Miss McPheeters in this department that he slyly inquired as to whether she were under a five-year contract. He complimented Ardmore on the equipment of this department, and also upon that of our entire building. Notwithstanding this favorable report, A. H. S. is not satisfied with present attainments, but will push on forward and upward.

A large crowd of students, accompanied by Professors Mead and Buchanan, are in attendance at the South-eastern Interscholastic Meet in Durant. Already A. H. S. is rejoicing over a great victory. Professor Lowenstein returned Friday, bearing the cup won by our orchestra. We have long been justly proud of our orchestra, and were not surprised that it should have gained this worthy trophy. Roland Kennedy won the gold medal in the oratorical contest. Reports of the vocal, instrumental and athletic contests have not yet reached the school. However, we are sure of other victories, and Monday will be a day of great rejoicing in A. H. S.

Congressman Carter has sent a fine donation of government books for the library. Among them are many books that will be of inestimable value to the English, commercial and science departments. He also sent an excellent large map of the United States, which has been hung in a prominent place upon the library walls. The students join Superintendent Richards and the faculty in extending heartiest thanks to Congressman Carter for his generosity.

County contests will be held next week in the High school auditorium, and A. H. S. will be well represented in every contest.

Miss Caldwell of the history department very delightfully entertained the lady members of the faculty Wednesday evening at luncheon, at the Episcopal Japanese tea room. Miss Caldwell is a most charming hostess, and the occasion was one of great pleasure to her guests.

Supt. Richards has championed the thrift cause in Ardmore. Friday afternoon he addressed the Fourth Ward Mothers' Club on the subject, giving many valuable suggestions to the mothers as to how to develop habits of thrift early in the lives of boys and girls. Friday night, by the

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aid of lantern slides, Prof. Richards demonstrated in the Fourth ward building the treachery and filth of the common house fly, that giant spreader of all disease.

Work on the great Shakespearean pageant is progressing nicely. This will take place April 27 in Central park, and will be one of the greatest educational features ever produced by our schools.

The editorial staff of the Criterion is very busy at present on the Annual. This year it will be dedicated to the mothers of the High school students, a most appropriate and fitting tribute to those noble ladies and patrons of the school.

The following letter, accompanied by two checks for the winning classes was received yesterday morning. The prizes were for the most beautifully decorated cars in the parade during the style show:

"Prof. C. W. Richards, 'Ardmore, Okla.  
"My Dear Professor:  
"I am enclosing two checks, one for \$10 for the Sophomore class and one for \$5, for the Freshman class, the prizes so deservedly won in the parade.

"I wish I could express adequately how we automobile dealers, and I believe every one of the thousands who witnessed the parade, appreciated the High school spirit. If, under present conditions, Ardmore can make such a splendid showing, what will she do when your boys and girls become of age and get into the game of boosting for Ardmore as business men and women? It is not hard for us to catch a vision of the future of Ardmore from the manifestation of the High school spirit of last Monday. We are for you. I hope sometime we can reciprocate.

"Yours very truly,  
"AUTOMOBILE SHOW,  
"John C. Mulkey, Pres."

SUGAR PRODUCTION IN REPUBLIC OF PANAMA

Panama, April 17.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—Higher prices and improvements in the method of manufacture and better transportation facilities are having their effect on the sugar production of the republic of Panama. Heavy sugar shipments are beginning to

come from the large Santa Rosa mill near Aguadulce in the province of Coloe. This province is now the center of the sugar industry of the republic, but probably will have a serious rival in the province of Chiriqui when the new railway is inaugurated there.

The indications are that the present season's run will be fully 30,000 sacks as compared with 17,000 last year. The product finds a ready market at \$5.50 per hundred weight for the best grade, the brown sugar bringing somewhat less. Most of the sugar production is consumed within the borders of the country.

although a small quantity is exported to neighboring republics.

Considerable progress has recently been made in sugar cane cultivation in Chiriqui province, where several Americans have acquired large tracts of land. Preparations are now under way for the construction of a large sugar mill in that vicinity. The new railway which President Porras will open to traffic next month will probably stimulate both the sugar and coffee production of that section of the country.

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